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Re: Onondaga Nation v. The State of New York, et al.,
05-CV-314 (LEK) (DRH)

Dear Judge Kahn:

I am writing to request leave to withdraw as counsel for the Onondaga Nation in the above referenced matter in accordance with Rule 83.2 of the Local Rules of Practice. The Nation will continue to be represented by Curtis G. Berkey and Joseph J. Heath, who have been co-counsel with me from the beginning of this case. I have resigned from representing the Nation, and my withdrawal from this matter is with the agreement of co-counsel Curtis G. Berkey and Joseph J. Heath.

A copy of this letter of request is served upon counsel for all of the parties, including the Onondaga Nation by electronic filing.

Respectfully submitted,

/S/

Robert T. Coulter

Leave to withdraw is granted.

Judge Lawrence E. Kahn

Date: 6/22/10